

REMARKS

Claims 1-14 are now presented for examination. Claim 14 has been added to assure Applicant of a full measure of protection of the scope to which he deems himself entitled. Claims 3 and 4 have been amended to even further clarify the claimed subject matter. Claim 12 has been amended to make a minor grammatical change thereto, and Claim 13 has been amended to be placed in independent form. These amendments have not been made for purposes relating to patentability.

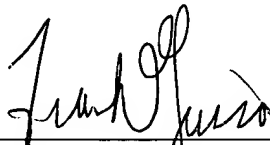
Support for these amendments appears in the specification and drawings as originally filed. For example, see from page 33, line 14 to page 35, line 23, with respect to Claim 3.

In the Notice of Allowability attached to the Notice of Allowance dated March 29, 2004, Claims 1-13 were indicated as allowed. Applicant notes with appreciation the allowance of those claims. Those claims are still believed to be in condition for allowance. Added Claim 14 recites features that are similar in many respects to those included in Claim 1, and also is believed to be allowable. Support for Claim 14 is found in the specification and drawings as originally filed, at least in Fig. 23 and from page 75, line 9 to page 76, line 3.

Favorable consideration and early passage to issue of the present application are requested.

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